DETROIT PISTONS

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Fred Zollner — President

Edwin E. Coil — General Manager

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2 p.m. Sundays

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FRED ZOLLNER
Mister Perseverance

Despite a series of ups and downs that would have dissuaded a less-determined man, Fred Zollner has worked steadfastly to bring exciting basketball and a championship team to Detroit.

Half of the quest was realized a year ago when crowd-pleasing rookie sensation Dave Bing was injected to a lineup with veterans like Dave DeBusschere, Eddie Miles and Tom Van Arsdale.

Detroit fans responded with record attendance. Now the drive is for a climb up the ladder to an eventual title.

It's a position Zollner has reached many times since organizing his first professional team in 1941.

With standouts like Bobby McDermott, Paul Birch and Buddy Jeannette (now a rival general manager with Baltimore), the Pistons won four straight championships in the National Basketball League (1943-46).

They added victories in three world tournaments (1944-46) at Chicago Stadium, then considered the ultimate in pro basketball.

After being a key figure in the formation of the NBA, Zollner saw his team win its first Western Division title in 1954-55. The Pistons extended Syracuse to the seventh game of the finals before bowing, 92-91, despite having to play all its playoff games on the road.

The Pistons repeated as Western Division titlists in 1955-56, but lost in the playoffs to Philadelphia. Following another divisional crown in 1956-57, Zollner made the move from Ft. Wayne to Detroit.

The new season, the 11th in the Motor City, brings a shift to the powerful Eastern Division and still a new challenge.

Because of the increasing complexities and expansion of his piston-manufacturing corporation, much of the detail of the basketball Pistons has been delegated to general manager Edwin E. Coil, but Zollner, a basketball pioneer, remains vitally interested and actively concerned with his one goal – a championship for Detroit.

DONNIS BUTCHER
HEAD COACH

What does it take to become a head coach in the National Basketball Association?

For one thing, a man has to be a battler like Donnis Butcher, the bossman of the Detroit Pistons.

The odds were stacked against Butcher when he first appeared on the NBA scene in 1961.

He was the seventh draft choice of the New York Knicks, and it's a rare player who is picked so low that wins a job in the league.

What's more, he wasn't much of "a name," having played his college basketball for little known Pikesville College in Kentucky. (Little known, that is, outside of Kentucky).

Then, too, when Butcher reported to the Knicks, he found that there were 10 other candidates bucking for guard positions.

He realized that he had to make a quick impression since it was a cinch that the Knicks weren't about to carry more than five or six backliners.

When the Knicks started slicing their roster, they didn't touch Butcher. He was still around when the season began. And he remained with the Knicks for two full seasons, plus part of 1963-64 when he was traded to the Pistons.

Butcher finished out 1963-64 as a player with the Pistons and then early in the next season was appointed the team's chief scout.

Butcher's duties were expanded at the outset of 1966-67. He was named ass assistant coach to Dave DeBusschere, while remaining the chief scout.

With eight games left on the schedule, Butcher was elevated to run the Pistons in March, 1967, when DeBusschere gave up his coaching duties.

Now Butcher is looking forward to taking his first team into a full NBA campaign as he embarks on what he hopes will be a long coaching carrer.

Coaching should come naturally to Butcher. His brother, Paul, is the head cage mentor at Pikesville College and there was a time when Donnis played under Paul.

"I always have thought I'd some day like to coach in the NBA," says Butcher. "I guess everybody who plays in the league has the same wish.

Butcher, his wife and two children make their year-around home in suburban Dearborn.

PAUL SEYMOUR

ASSISTANT COACH AND CHIEF SCOUT

After a one-year absence, Seymour returns to the NBA where he built a fine record both as a player and a coach. With the Pistons he'll handle two jobs – assist Donnis Butcher with the coaching and also the scouting.

Seymour, a native of nearby Toledo, Ohio, began his pro basketball career with the old Baltimore Bullets. But he was traded to the Syracuse Nationals in February, 1948, and remained with the team for 11 seasons.

He was the Nats' perennial leaders in assists, free throws made and minutes played and averaged almost 10 points per game in regular season and playoff action.

Seymour was named playing coach of the Nats in 1956-57 and he guided the team for four years, fashioning records of 34-26, 41-31, 35-37 and 45-30. He then went to the St. Louis Hawks for one full season, posting a 51-28 record. The Hawks dropped him after a 5-9 start the following year. In 1965-66, Seymour returned to the NBA with the Baltimore Bullets and led the team to a second-place finish with a 38-42 record.

Overall, Seymour's NBA teams won 249 and lost 203 in regular-season action and had a 14-19 playoff record.

He continues to make his home with his wife and two children in Syracuse.

HAROLD L. (Bud) SHOCKRO

PISTONS TRAINER

A native of Attleboro, Mass., Shockro will be starting his second season with the Pistons.

He has been identified with professional and college teams since 1958 when he joined the Chicago White Sox system. He served the Chisox for eight seasons before moving closer to home to join the Boston Red Sox system. He was with the Bosox' Pittsfield (Mass.) team this past summer.

Shockro also was associated with the Providence (R. I.) professional football team in 1963 and 1964 and trained the Providence College basketball and hockey teams from 1959-66.

He attended the Massachusetts School of Physiotherapy and the Nylin Massage School.

Shockro is single.

DETROIT PISTONS ROSTER

SEPTEMBER 18, 1967

No.	PLAYER	HT.	WT.	Birth Date	Years In N. B. A.	COLLEGE	RESIDENCE
21	Dave Bing	6-3	180	11-24-43	1	Syracuse	Detroit, Mich.
12	George Carter	6-5	218	1-18-44		St. Bonaventure	Silver Creek, N. Y.
22	Dave DeBusschere	6-6	220	10-16-40	5	Detroit	Detroit, Mich.
43	Terry Dischinger	6-7	208	11-21-40	3	Purdue	Lafayette, Ind.
44	Lloyd "Sonny" Dove	6-8	198	8-16-45		St. John's (N.Y.)	St. Albans, N. Y.
25	Paul Long	6-2	180	2- 8-44		Wake Forest	Louisville, Ky.
14	Eddie Miles	6-4	195	7- 5-40	4	Seattle	Detroit, Mich.
20	George Patterson	6-8	240	11-26-39	R	Toledo	Royal Oak, Mich.
16	Joe Strawder	6-10	230	9-21-40	2	Bradley	Detroit, Mich.
23	John Treavant	6-7	220	11- 6-40	2	Seattle	Detroit, Mich.
5	Tom VanArsdale	6-5	215	2-22-43	2	Indiana	Greenwood, Ind.
24	Jimmie Walker	6-3	205	4- 8-44		Providence	Roxbury, Mass.

General Manager . . Edwin E. Coil
Coach . . . . . Donnis Butcher
Assistant Coach . . Paul Seymour
Trainer . . . . . Harold ("Bud") Shockro

DAVID BING

BIRTH DATE — November 24, 1943

HEIGHT — 6-3 WEIGHT — 180

COLLEGE — Syracuse RESIDENCE — Detroit, Michigan

Entering sophomore NBA campaign after explosive rookie season which reaped total honors . . . Captured team scoring championship with 1601 points (20.0 average), a feat never before accomplished by a Piston freshman . . . Tenth in the league in scoring . . . Led team's playmakers with 330 assists . . . Scored 47 points against Baltimore at Cobo Arena on March 8, 1967 for fifth highest single-game effort in Piston history, a sum exceeded only by Piston great George Yardley and unmatched in nine years . . . Established a single-game FG mark of 21 . . . Voted NBA "rookie-of-the-year" by the players, sportswriters and sportscasters . . . Unanimous All-American and number one draft choice from Syracuse, holding all-school single season (794 points and 28.4 average) and career (1883 points) records . . . Hails from Washington, D. C., but now makes home on Detroit's northwest side with wife and two children.

NBA CAREER RECORD

Season—Team	G	Min	FGM	FGA	Pct	FTM	FTA	Pct	Reb	Ast	PF	Disq	Pts	Avg
66-67 Detroit	80	2762	664	1522	.436	273	370	.738	359	330	217	2	1601	20.0

1966-67 TOTALS AGAINST EACH INDIVIDUAL TEAM

TEAM	GAMES	TOTAL POINTS	AVERAGE	REBOUNDS	ASSISTS
Baltimore	9	192	21.3	53	40
Boston	9	181	20.1	57	42
Chicago	9	177	19.7	40	40
Cincinnati	9	176	19.6	34	33
Los Angeles	9	192	21.3	39	38
New York	9	175	19.4	34	36
Philadelphia	9	195	21.7	38	41
San Francisco	9	181	20.1	38	40
St. Louis	8	132	16.5	26	20

NATIONAL BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION
REFEREES NUMBERS

DOLPH SCHAYES – SUPERVISOR OF OFFICIALS

5	Mendy Rudolph	20	Leo Oates	29	Chuck Newman
7	Norman Drucker	23	Don Murphy	30	Ed Rush
10	Earl Strom	24	Paul Ruddy	32	Jackie White
11	Joe Gushue	25	Jack Madden	33	Darell Garretson
12	John Vanak	26	Charles Marino	34	Alex Robinson
14	Manny Sokol	28	Bill Kunkel		

DAVID DeBUSSCHERE

BIRTH DATE — November 16, 1940

HEIGHT — 6-6 WEIGHT — 220

COLLEGE — U. of Detroit RESIDENCE — Detroit, Mich.

Starting his sixth season in NBA . . . One of the city of Detroit's most prolific sons . . . Coached Pistons almost three full seasons, the youngest ever to coach a major league professional team at 24 . . . Spent four years pitching in the Chicago White Sox system and for the parent club . . . Hit his scoring (18.2 points) and rebounding (924) peak the past season . . . A 15.7 Piston-lifetime average has moved him up to sixth place on the club's all-time list of scorers . . . Shoots golf in the 70's . . . A native Detroiter, DeBusschere prepped at Austin High, playing for the state basketball titlist in 1958, defeating Benton Harbor and Chet Walker in the finals . . . Starred at the University of Detroit in baseball and basketball where he led the Titans to post-season meets in both sports during each of his three varsity years . . . Still a bachelor, DeBusschere continues to make his home on Detroit's East Side with his mother and sisters . . . Worked for a Detroit brokerage firm the past summer.

NBA CAREER RECORD

Season—Team	G	Min	FGM	FGA	Pct	FTM	FTA	Pct	Reb	Ast	PF	Disq	Pts	Avg
62-63 Detroit	80	2352	406	944	.430	206	287	.718	694	207	247	2	1018	12.7
63-64 Detroit	15	304	52	133	.391	25	43	.581	105	23	32	1	129	8.6
64-65 Detroit	79	2769	508	1196	.425	306	437	.700	874	253	242	5	1322	16.7
65-66 Detroit	79	2696	524	1284	.408	249	378	.659	916	209	252	5	1297	16.4
66-67 Detroit	78	2897	531	1278	.415	361	512	.705	924	216	297	7	1423	18.2
Total	331	11018	2021	4835	.418	1147	1657	.692	3513	908	1070	20	5189	15.7

PLAYOFF RECORD

Season Team	G	Min	FGM	FGA	Pct	FTM	FTA	Pct	Reb	Ast	PF	Disq	Pts	Avg
62-63 Detroit	4	159	25	59	.424	30	44	.682	63	6	14	1	80	20.0

ALL-STAR GAME RECORD

Season Team	G	Min	FGM	FGA	Pct	FTM	FTA	Pct	Reb	Ast	PF	Disq	Pts	Avg
65-66 Detroit	1	22	1	14	.071	2	2	1.000	6	1	1	0	4	
66-67 Detroit	1	25	11	17	.647	0	0	.000	6	0	1	0	22	
Total	2	47	12	31	.387	2	2	1.000	12	1	2	0	26	13.0

1966-67 TOTALS AGAINST EACH INDIVIDUAL TEAM

TEAM	GAMES	TOTAL POINTS	AVERAGE	REBOUNDS	ASSISTS
Baltimore	8	152	19.0	98	19
Boston	8	128	16.0	80	19
Chicago	9	146	16.2	126	29
Cincinnati	9	166	18.4	131	31
Los Angeles	9	180	20.0	100	33
New York	9	164	18.2	117	24
Philadelphia	8	127	15.9	82	21
San Francisco	9	197	21.9	97	23
St. Louis	9	163	18.1	93	17

TERRY DISCHINGER

BIRTH DATE — November 21, 1940

HEIGHT — 6-7 WEIGHT — 189

COLLEGE — Purdue RESIDENCE — Lafayette, Indiana

Starting his fourth year in the NBA after a two-year lapse because of reserve duty with the U. S. Army, mostly spent in Hawaii as an instructor in chemical warfare at Schofield Barracks . . . In each of his three previous NBA years, he was selected for the All-Star team . . . selected "rookie-of-the-year" with the Chicago Zephyrs in 62-63 season despite mssing 23 of 80 games while completing degree at Purdue . . . Greatest basketball player in history of Purdue, receiving All American honors in each varsity year . . . starred on U. S. Olympic team in 1960 as a 19-year-old Purdue sophomore . . . As a prep student at Terre Haute (Ind.) Garfield, a four-sport star — an all-state end in football; a hurdler of distinction (3rd and 2nd in highs and lows in '58 state meet); a first baseman on Babe Ruth League world champions and member of Indiana All-Star basketball squad . . . Pistons' leading scorer with 1456 points in 64-65 season, last previous NBA year.

NBA CAREER RECORD

Season—Team	G	Min	FGM	FGA	Pct	FTM	FTA	Pct	Reb	Ast	PF	Disq	Pts	Avg
62-63 Chicago	57	2304	525	1016	.517	402	522	.770	468	175	188	2	1452	25.5
63-64 Baltimore	80	2820	604	1217	.496	454	585	.776	665	157	321	10	1662	20.8
64-65 Detroit	80	2698	568	1153	.493	320	424	.755	479	198	253	5	1456	18.2
65-66 Detroit					In Military Service									
66-67 Detroit					In Military Service									
Total	217	7822	1697	3386	.501	1176	1531	.768	1612	530	762	17	4570	21.1

ALL-STAR GAME RECORD

Season—Team	G	Min	FGM	FGA	Pct	FTM	FTA	Pct	Reb	Ast	PF	Disq	Pts	Avg
62-63 Chicago	1	7	3	3	1.000	1	1	1.000	1	0	0	0	7	
63-64 Baltimore	1	13	2	4	.500	3	3	1.000	1	1	1	0	7	
64-65 Detroit	1	24	2	8	.250	1	2	.500	5	1	4	0	5	
Total	3	44	7	15	.467	5	6	.833	7	2	5	0	19	6.3

5 NEW ARENAS FOR NBA TEAMS

Five of the NBA cities have new arenas this season. They are the New York Knicks, Los Angeles Lakers and Philadelphia 76ers, plus the new San Diego and Seattle franchises.

PISTONS BIGGEST WINNING MARGINS

What's the biggest victory margin for a Pistons' team in any game? On Nov. 28, 1962, the Pistons beat the New York Knicks, 143-101. The Pistons also hold two 40-point wins — one each over Cincinnati and St. Louis.

GEORGE PATTERSON

BIRTH DATE — November 26, 1939

HEIGHT — 6-8 WEIGHT — 240

COLLEGE — Toledo Univ. RESIDENCE — Royal Oak, Mich.

Came to the Pistons this fall as a free agent. One of oldest "rookies" to bid for a job in the NBA. Came out of Ken Catholic High School in Pittsburgh, played three years of varsity basketball at Toledo University, finishing up in 1961. Averaged 13 points and 14 rebounds for the Rockets. Spent from 1961-63 with Kansas City Steers of now defunct American Basketball League, scoring eight points per game and averaging nine rebounds . . . Then toured with a team providing opposition for the Harlem Globe Trotters . . . Also has performed with Grand Rapids and Battle Creek in the North American League . . . Has worked as a salesman in Royal Oak . . . Married, one child.

PISTONS AGAIN ON CHANNEL 50

The Detroit Pistons again will appear on Channel 50 television during the 1967-68 National Basketball Association season.

Veteran sportscaster Tom Hemmingway will be the new "voice" of the Pistons, with the games again to be sponsored by Carling's.

The schedule of TV games follows:

Saturday,	Oct. 21	– at Philadelphia, 8 p.m.
Wednesday,	Oct. 25	– Chicago, 8 p.m.
Wednesday,	Nov. 1	– San Francisco, 8 p.m.
Saturday,	Nov. 18	– at Chicago, 9 p.m.
Saturday,	Dec. 2	– Boston, 8 p.m.
Saturday,	Dec. 9	– at New York, 8:30 p.m.
Friday,	Dec. 29	– St. Louis at Miami Beach, 8:30 p.m.
Saturday,	Jan. 13	– Philadelphia, 8 p.m.
Wednesday,	Jan. 31	– at Baltimore, 8 p.m.
Saturday,	Feb. 10	– Baltimore, 8 p.m.
Saturday,	Feb. 24	– at Baltimore, 8 p.m.
Saturday,	Mar. 2	– at New York, 8:30 p.m.
Wednesday,	Mar. 20	– at Boston, 8:15 p.m.

EDDIE MILES

BIRTH DATE — July 5, 1940

HEIGHT — 6-4 WEIGHT — 195

COLLEGE — Seattle RESIDENCE — Detroit, Michigan

Set for his fifth season in NBA . . . Topped the Pistons in scoring in 1965-66 with 19.6 effort and All-Star Game berth . . . Overall five-year NBA average of 14.7 to rank as one of league's finest middle distance shooters . . . Averaged 21.3, 22.3 and 25.8 points per season at Seattle University to gain his now famous nickname, "The Man With The Golden Arm" . . . Has played in 204 consecutive games for Detroit with last miss coming on Dec. 27, 1964 . . . Originally from North Little Rock, Arkansas, but now makes his year-around home in Detroit with his wife and four children . . . Spends summer working as an internal accountant for one of Detroit's leading chain food stores . . . Word buff, with reading and crossword puzzles a favorite pastime.

NBA CAREER RECORD

Season—Team	G	Min	FGM	FGA	Pct	FTM	FTA	Pct	Reb	Ast	PF	Disq	Pts	Avg
63-64 Detroit	60	811	131	371	.353	62	87	.713	95	58	92	0	324	5.4
64-65 Detroit	76	2074	439	994	.442	166	223	.744	258	157	201	1	1044	13.7
65-66 Detroit	80	2788	634	1418	.447	298	402	.741	302	221	203	2	1566	19.6
66-67 Detroit	81	2419	582	1363	.427	261	338	.772	298	181	216	2	1425	17.6
Total	297	8092	1786	4146	.431	787	1050	.750	953	617	712	5	4359	14.7

ALL-STAR GAME RECORD

Season—Team	G	Min	FGM	FGA	Pct	FTM	FTA	Pct	Reb	Ast	PF	Disq	Pts	Avg
65-66 Detroit	1	28	8	16	.500	1	5	.200	1	0	1	0	17	

1966-67 TOTALS AGAINST EACH INDIVIDUAL TEAM

TEAM	GAMES	TOTAL POINTS	AVERAGE	REBOUNDS	ASSISTS
Baltimore	9	196	21.8	40	15
Boston	9	155	17.2	27	13
Chicago	9	170	18.9	35	18
Cincinnati	9	147	16.3	16	22
Los Angeles	9	178	19.8	34	24
New York	9	128	14.2	28	22
Philadelphia	9	143	15.9	35	28
San Francisco	9	150	16.7	44	29
St. Louis	9	158	17.6	39	10

'FOR LOVE OF HIS COUNTRY'

Rookie Sonny Dove of the Pistons represented the United States in two international competitions during the last summer. He was a member of the U.S. teams in the Pan American Games at Winnipeg and in the World University Games at Tokyo.

JOE STRAWDER

BIRTH DATE — September 21, 1940

HEIGHT — 6-10 WEIGHT — 230

COLLEGE — Bradley RESIDENCE — Detroit, Michigan

A three-year college star at Bradley University. Originally drafted by the Boston Celtics, but never played with them. Spent one season with Camden, N. J. in the Eastern League before coming to the Pistons in September of 1965. Has averaged nine points in two NBA seasons and picked off 1611 rebounds in 158 contests . . . Fired in 29 points for his pro high against Boston . . . Twice has hauled in 24 rebounds in a game . . . Married, father of one child.

STRAWDER'S NBA CAREER RECORD

Season–Team	FGM	FTM	REBS	AST	PTS	Avg.
1965-66 Detroit	250	176	820	78	676	8.6
1966-67 Detroit	281	188	791	82	750	9.5
Totals	531	364	1611	160	1426	9.0

BEST OVERALL AVERAGE – .833, 1941 (Won 25, Lost 5)
WORST OVERALL AVERAGE – .275, 1965-66 (Won 22, Lost 58)
BEST HOME RECORD – 1.000, 1944-45 (Won 15, Lost 0)
BEST ROAD RECORD – .833, 1943-44 (Won 10, Lost 2)
WORST ROAD RECORD
(Exclusive neutrals) – .144, 1965-66 (Won 4, Lost 23)
MOST HOME VICTORIES – 28, 1948-49 (six losses)
MOST VICTORIES (Detroit) – 37, 1961-62 (43 losses)
MOST OVERALL VICTORIES – 43, 1954-55 (29 losses)
LEAST HOME VICTORIES – 8, 1941-42
LEAST HOME WINS (Detroit) – 9, 1963-64
MOST HOME LOSSES – 21, 1963-64
MOST OVERALL LOSSES – 58, 1965-66
FEWEST HOME LOSSES – 0, 1944-45
FEWEST ROAD LOSSES – 2, 1943-45
FEWEST OVERALL LOSSES – 4, 1943-44
LONGEST WINNING STREAK – 14, 1944-45
LONGEST WINNING STREAK
IN DETROIT – 7, Jan. 15-25, 1961
LONGEST HOME WIN STREAK – 25, 1943-44
LONGEST ROAD WIN STREAK – 9, 1943-44
LONGEST LOSING STREAK – 9, 1958-59 and 1965-66
LONGEST LOSING STREAK
AT HOME – 8, Dec. 11-Jan. 25, 1963-64
LONGEST LOSING STREAK
AT START OF SEASON – 7, 1963-64
LONGEST LOSING STREAK
AT FINISH OF SEASON – 8, 1964-65
LONGEST ROAD – NEUTRAL
LOSING STREAK – 16, 1950-51

JOHN TRESVANT

BIRTH DATE — November 6, 1939

HEIGHT — 6-7 WEIGHT — 220

COLLEGE — Seattle RESIDENCE — Detroit, Michigan

Starting his fourth NBA campaign . . . Blossomed into a regular midway through the 1966-67 season for the Pistons . . . A fifth draft choice by the St. Louis Hawks in 1964, he played four games his first season before a trade in December of the following year changed his uniform to that of Detroit . . . Hit a high mark of 26 points on March 8, 1967 against Baltimore at Cobo Arena . . . Plays both center and forward with Pistons, but strong suit is in the corner . . . Didn't go out for basketball until 1956 while in his country's service . . . Originally from Washington, D. C., now makes his year-around home in Detroit . . . Works as a supervisor for a milk company in the off season . . . Married.

NBA CAREER RECORD

Season—Team	G	Min	FGM	FGA	Pct	FTM	FTA	Pct	Reb	Ast	PF	Disq	Pts	Avg
64-65 St. Louis	4	35	4	11	.364	6	9	.667	18	6	9	0	14	3.5
65-66 St. L.-Det.	61	969	171	400	.428	142	190	.747	364	72	179	2	484	7.9
66-67 Detroit	68	1553	256	585	.438	164	234	.701	483	88	246	8	676	9.9
Total	133	2557	431	996	.433	312	433	.721	865	166	434	10	1174	8.8

1966-67 TOTALS AGAINST EACH INDIVIDUAL TEAM

TEAM	GAMES	TOTAL POINTS	AVERAGE	REBOUNDS	ASSISTS
Baltimore	7	72	10.3	59	19
Boston	8	55	6.9	45	9
Chicago	9	87	9.7	67	6
Cincinnati	8	67	8.4	58	9
Los Angeles	6	62	10.3	46	9
New York	6	56	9.3	35	7
Philadelphia	9	92	10.2	69	11
San Francisco	7	101	14.4	47	12
St. Louis	8	84	10.5	57	6

PISTONS GAME OFFICIALS

Scorer — Larry Evoe.
Statistician — Morris Moorawnick.
Times — Bill Clements, Jack Patterson, Bob Blow.
24-second Operators — Robert Calihan and Sam Madden.
Play-by-Play — Brian Hitsky.
Flags, Minutes — Douglas Maskin.
Assistant — Sol Hoberman.

PISTONS TOP DRAFT CHOICES SINCE COMING TO DETROIT

1958 — Choice went to New York for Dick McGuire
1959 — Bailey Howell
1960 — Jackie Moreland
1961 — Ray Scott
1962 — Dave DeBusschere
1963 — Eddie Miles
1964 — Joe Caldwell
1965 — Bill Buntin
1966 — Dave Bing
1967 — Jimmy Walker

THOMAS VAN ARSDALE

BIRTH DATE — February 22, 1943

HEIGHT — 6-5 WEIGHT — 215

COLLEGE — Indiana RESIDENCE — Greenwood, Indiana

Half of pro basketball's only twin-brother act . . . Brother Dick is with the New York Knicks . . . Both sport number 5 on their jersies . . . Each starting his third season in the pro ranks after winning All-American acclaim at Indianapolis (Ind.) Manual High School and college honors at Indiana University . . . Tommy averaged 12.5, 21.3 and 18.4 points in his three seasons with Indiana . . . Has averaged 11.4 points in two seasons as a Piston guard . . . High game of 29 points came on Jan. 15, 1966 against Baltimore . . . Picked on NBA's all-rookie team in 1966 along with brother Dick . . . Spent the past summer in New York City, taking course to become a stock broker . . . Continues to live with his parents in Greenwood, Ind., as a "very eligible" bachelor . . . shares his birthday with George Washington, his brother as well as many others.

NBA CAREER RECORD

Season—Team	G	Min	FGM	FGA	Pct	FTM	FTA	Pct	Reb	Ast	PF	Disq	Pts	Avg
65-66 Detroit	79	2041	312	834	.374	209	290	.721	309	205	251	1	833	10.5
66-67 Detroit	79	2134	347	887	.391	272	347	.783	341	193	241	3	966	12.2
Total	158	4175	659	1721	.383	481	637	.755	650	398	492	4	1799	11.4

1966-67 TOTALS AGAINST EACH INDIVIDUAL TEAM

TEAM	GAMES	TOTAL POINTS	AVERAGE	REBOUNDS	ASSISTS
Baltimore	9	97	10.8	41	16
Boston	9	130	14.4	47	18
Chicago	9	125	13.9	30	23
Cincinnati	9	134	14.9	36	27
Los Angeles	8	79	9.9	24	26
New York	9	121	13.4	37	25
Philadelphia	9	86	9.6	53	29
San Francisco	8	108	13.5	49	21
St. Louis	9	86	9.6	24	8

MVP IN STOKES BENEFIT

Dave Bing was hailed as the most valuable player in the 1967 Maurice Stokes benefit game involving star National Basketball Association players held at Kutsher's Country Club in Monticello in August. Dave DeBusschere and Eddie Miles of the Pistons also played in the game, along with Pistons draftee Bob Lloyd.

NEW ARENAS FOR NBA TEAMS

The Pistons will play in five new arenas this season — in New York, Philadelphia, Los Angeles, Seattle and San Diego.

JIMMY WALKER

BIRTH DATE — April 8, 1944

HEIGHT — 6-3 WEIGHT — 205

COLLEGE — Providence RESIDENCE — Roxbury, Mass.

Hailed as the No. 1 senior college player in the country last season. Won All American honors on AP, UPI, Look Magazine and Sporting News selections . . . Voted as most valuable player both as junior and senior in ECAC Holiday festival held in New York City and last spring was honored as foremost player in New England . . . Topped major college scorers last season with 851 points and 30.4-point average. Set a new all-time Providence College record with a total of 2045 points and a 25.2-point average . . . Hit on 49.0 percent of his field goal attempts (323 out of 659) and 80.1 percent from free-throw line (205 out of 256) in his senior year. Twice hit 50 points in a game.

WALKER'S THREE-YEAR COLLEGE RECORD

SEASON	GAMES	FGM	FTM	TP	AVG.
1964-65	26	211	110	532	20.5
1965-66	27	248	166	662	24.5
1966-67	28	323	205	851	30.4
Totals	81	782	481	2045	25.2

GEORGE CARTER

BIRTH DATE — January 18, 1944

HEIGHT — 6-5 WEIGHT — 220

COLLEGE — St. Bonaventure

RESIDENCE — Silver Creek, New York

Strong player, offensively and defensively . . . Led Bonnies in rebounding in each of his three varsity seasons and was high man on the team in scoring in sophomore and junior seasons . . . Posted an overall 19.4-point average in his three varsity campaigns . . . High year was 20.5 points as a senior, just a tenth over his Junior campaign . . . . His single-game high was 36 points against Fairfield . . . Captained Bonnies as a senior . . . Was voted All East both as a junior and senior . . . Majored in sociology.

CARTER'S COLLEGE RECORD

SEASON	GAMES	FGM	FTM	REB	TP	AVG.
1964-65	23	158	87	259	403	17.5
1965-66	23	182	105	285	469	20.4
1966-67	22	171	108	305	450	20.5
Totals	68	511	300	849	1322	19.4

PAUL LONG

BIRTH DATE — February 8, 1944

HEIGHT — 6-2 WEIGHT — 180

COLLEGE — Wake Forest RESIDENCE — Louisville, Ky.

Long played his college ball at Virginia Tech for two years and then switched to Wake Forest. Was Wake Forest's captain as a senior . . . Great shooter averaging .503 (235 out of 467) and .513 (235 out of 458) as junior and senior, respectively, from the field and shot 86.9 and 83.0 percent from the charity line . . . Voted to All Atlantic Conference and District 3 NCAA teams last season. No. 2 scorer in AAC last two years.

LONG'S COLLEGE RECORD

SEASON	GAMES	FGM	FTM	REBS	PTS	AVG.
AT VIRGINIA TECH:						
1963-64	23	143	87	131	373	16.2
AT WAKE FOREST						
1965-66	26	235	153	123	623	24.0
1966-67	27	235	132	105	602	22.3
Totals	76	613	372	359	1598	21.0

LLOYD SONNY DOVE

BIRTH DATE — August 16, 1945

HEIGHT — 6-8 WEIGHT — 198

COLLEGE — St. John's of New York

RESIDENCE — St. Albans, New York

Won Sporting News and Helms All American honors as senior . . . Was named "star of stars" at annual East-West All-Star game . . . Played for winning U. S. team in Pan American Games and was a member of U. S. team in World University Games this past summer in Tokyo . . . Voted No. 1 college player in Metropolitan New York in 1966-67 . . . Became first St. John's player to go over 1,000 in rebounds, hitting 1130 during career . . . Was No. 10 nationally rebounding as senior with 14.8 rebounds to his credit . . . Average 46.6 percent on field goal attempts.

DOVE'S THREE-YEAR COLLEGE RECORD

SEASON	GAMES	FGM	FTM	RB	TP	AVG.
1964-65	29	160	79	338	399	13.8
1965-66	26	216	119	377	551	21.2
1966-67	28	242	142	415	626	22.4
Totals	83	618	340	1130	1576	19.0

THE INDIVIDUAL STORY FOR PISTONS IN 1966-67

	G	Min	FGM	FGA	FG%	FTM	FTA	FT%	Reb	Ast	PF	D*	TP	Avg
Bing	80	2762	664	1522	.436	273	370	.738	359	330	217	2	1601	20.0
Miles	81	2419	582	1363	.427	261	338	.772	298	181	216	2	1425	17.6
DeBusschere	78	2897	531	1278	.415	361	512	.705	924	216	297	7	1423	18.2
VanArsdale	79	2134	347	887	.391	272	347	.783	341	193	241	3	966	12.2
Strawder	79	2156	281	660	.426	188	262	.718	791	82	344	19	750	9.5
Tresvant	68	1553	296	585	.438	164	234	.701	483	88	246	8	676	9.9
Scott	45	1477	252	681	.370	156	206	.757	404	84	132	1	660	14.7
*Hightower	72	1310	195	567	.344	153	210	.729	405	64	190	6	543	7.5
**Hightower	29	564	92	259	.355	64	86	.744	164	28	80	1	248	8.6
Reed	62	1248	223	600	.372	79	133	.594	423	81	145	2	525	8.5
Harding	74	1367	172	383	.449	63	103	.612	455	94	164	2	407	5.5
Vaughn	51	680	85	226	.376	60	74	.676	67	75	54	0	220	4.3
Murrey	35	311	33	82	.402	32	54	.593	102	12	57	2	98	2.8
Hogsett	7	22	5	16	.313	6	6	1.000	3	1	5	0	16	2.3

D* Number of games disqualified on personal fouls.

* Includes record with Baltimore. **Record ONLY with Pistons.

	G	FGM	FGA	FG%	FTM	FTA	FT%	Reb	Ast	PF	D	TP	Avg
PISTONS TOTALS	81	3523	8542	.412	1969	2725	.723	3511	1465	2198	49	9015	115.5

NBA ALL-STAR SELECTIONS

FIRST TEAM

Rick Barry, San Francisco
Elgin Baylor, Los Angeles
Wilt Chamberlain, Philadelphia
Jerry West, Los Angeles
Oscar Robertson, Cincinnati

SECOND TEAM

Willis Reed, New York
Jerry Lucas, Cincinnati
Bill Russell, Boston
Sam Jones, Boston
Hal Greer, Philadelphia

ALL-ROOKIE SELECTIONS

Dave Bing, Detroit
Lou Hudson, St. Louis
Cazzie Russell, New York
Erwin Mueller, Chicago
Jack Marin, Baltimore

Honorable Mention

Archie Clark, Los Angeles

Clyde Lee, San Francisco

Most Valuable Player — Wilt Chamberlain, Philadelphia
Rookie-of-the-ear — Dave Bing, Detroit
Coach-of-the-Year — John Kerr, Chicago

PISTONS HIGH EFFORTS DURING 1966-67

MOST POINTS — 47, by Dave Bing vs. Baltimore, March 8, 1967
Eddie Miles had games of 37, 35 and 34 points, while Bing had a 35

MOST REBOUNDS — 24, by Joe Strawder vs. Boston on January 25, 1967

HIGH QUARTER — 19, by Eddie Miles on seven baskets and five free throws vs. Baltimore at Baltimore on January 4, 1967

HIGH TEAM PERIOD — 47 points vs. Cincinnati on February 16, 1967

BILL RUSSELL

JERRY WEST

OSCAR ROBERTSON

PISTONS ALL-TIME SCORING LEADERS

(Includes Fort Wayne)

REGULAR SEASON GAMES ONLY WITH PISTONS

		Games	Points	Avg
1.	Bailey Howell (five seasons)	387	8182	21.1
2.	Gene Shue (six seasons)	440	7974	18.1
3.	George Yardley (six seasons)	384	7339	19.1
4.	Larry Faust (seven seasons)	476	7124	15.0
5.	Ray Scott (5½ seasons)	421	6724	16.0
6.	Dave DeBusschere (five seasons)	331	5189	15.7
7.	Don Ohl (four seasons)	307	5137	16.7
8.	Walter Dukes (six seasons)	480	4570	9.5
9.	Eddie Miles (four seasons)	297	4359	14.7

PISTONS WHO HAVE SCORED 45 OR MORE POINTS IN ONE GAME

Player	Opponent	Site	Date	FG	FT	TP
George Yardley	Syracuse	Detroit	2-4-58	18	16	52
George Yardley	Boston	Boston	1-15-58	19	13	51
George Yardley	Minneapolis	Minneapolis	3-6-58	19	11	49
George Yardley	St. Louis	St. Louis	12-26-57	14	20	48
Dave Bing	Baltimore	Detroit	3-8-67	21	5	47
George Yardley	Syracuse	Detroit	11-9-58	14	17	45

Only Dave DeBusschere of present Pistons has scored more than 40 points in a game in addition to Bing. DeBusschere tallied 41 points on 19 baskets and three free throws against Philadelphia at Cobo Arena on Jan. 12, 1966.

PISTONS COACHING RECORDS — YEAR BY YEAR IN DETROIT

Season	Coach	Regular	Playoff	Total
1957-58	Charles Eckman	9-16		9-16
	Red Rocha	24-23	3-4	27-27
1958-59	Red Rocha	28-44	1-2	29-46
1959-60	Red Rocha	13-21		13-21
	Dick McGuire	17-24	0-2	17-26
1960-61	Dick McGuire	34-45	2-3	36-48
1961-62	Dick McGuire	37-43	5-5	42-48
1962-63	Dick McGuire	34-46	1-3	35-49
1963-64	Charles Wolf	23-57		23-57
1964-65	Charles Wolf	2-9		2-9
	Dave DeBusschere	29-40		29-40
1965-66	Dave DeBusschere	22-58		22-58
1966-67	Dave DeBusschere	28-45		28-45
	Donnis Butcher	2-6		2-6

HOW PISTONS HAVE FARED IN PLAYOFFS SINCE 1957-58

1958 — Eliminated Cincinnati, three games to one.
Lost to St. Louis, four games to one.

1959 — Lost to Minneapolis, two games to one.

1960 — Lost to Minneapolis, two games to none.

1961 — Lost to Los Angeles, three games to two.

1962 — Eliminated Cincinnati, three games to one.
Lost to Los Angeles, four games to two.

1963 — Lost to St. Louis, three games to one.

PISTONS WHO HAVE APPEARED IN ALL-STAR GAMES

1958 — George Yardley, Gene Shue, Dick McGuire
1959 — George Yardley, Gene Shue, Dick McGuire
1960 — Gene Shue, Walter Dukes, Chuck Noble
1961 — Walter Dukes, Gene Shue, Bailey Howell
1962 — Bailey Howell, Gene Shue
1963 — Bailey Howell, Don Ohl
1964 — Bailey Howell, Don Ohl
1965 — Terry Dischinger
1966 — Dave DeBusschere, Eddie Miles
1967 — Dave DeBusschere

YEARLY DEPARTMENTAL LEADERS FOR THE PISTONS

TOP SCORERS

Year	G	Pts	Avg	Player
1957-58	72	2001	27.8	George Yardley
1958-59	72	1266	17.6	Gene Shue
1959-60	75	1712	22.8	Gene Shue
1960-61	77	1815	23.6	Bailey Howell
1961-62	79	1576	19.9	Bailey Howell
1962-63	79	1793	22.7	Bailey Howell
1963-64	77	1666	21.6	Bailey Howell
1964-65	80	1456	18.2	Terry Dischinger
1965-66	80	1566	19.6	Eddie Miles
1966-67	81	1601	20.0	Dave Bing

BEST FREE THROW SHOOTERS

Year	FTM	FTA	Avg	Player
1957-58	276	327	.844	Gene Shue
	655	808	.811	George Yardley
1958-59	338	421	.803	Gene Shue
1959-60	472	541	.872	Gene Shue
1960-61	465	543	.856	Gene Shue
1961-62	362	447	.810	Gene Shue
1962-63	519	650	.801	Bailey Howell
1963-64	470	581	.809	Bailey Howell
1964-65	320	424	.755	Terry Dischinger
1965-66	323	435	.743	Ray Scott
1966-67	272	347	.784	Tom VanArsdale

TOP PLAYMAKER

Year	G	Ast	Avg	Player
1957-58	69	454	6.6	Dick McGuire
1958-59	71	443	6.2	Dick McGuire
1959-60	68	358	5.3	Dick McGuire
1960-61	78	530	6.8	Gene Shue
1961-62	80	465	5.8	Gene Shue
1962-63	80	325	5.1	Don Ohl
1963-64	80	244	3.1	Donnis Butcher
	80	244	3.1	Ray Scott
1964-65	79	253	3.2	Dave DeBusschere
1965-66	79	238	3.0	Ray Scott
1966-67	80	330	4.1	Dave Bing

MOST MINUTES PLAYED

Year	G	Min	Avg	Player
1957-58	72	2843	39.5	George Yardley
1958-59	72	2745	38.1	Gene Shue
1959-60	75	3338	44.5	Gene Shue
1960-61	78	3361	43.1	Gene Shue
1961-62	80	3143	39.3	Gene Shue
1962-63	79	2971	37.6	Bailey Howell
1963-64	80	2964	37.1	Ray Scott
1964-65	79	2769	35.1	Dave DeBusschere
1965-66	80	2788	34.9	Eddie Miles
1966-67	78	2897	37.2	Dave DeBusschere

BEST SHOOTING AVERAGE

FGM	FGA	Pct	Player
673	1624	.414	George Yardley
127	289	.439	Shellie McMillon
510	1119	.456	Bailey Howell
607	1293	.469	Bailey Howell
553	1193	.464	Bailey Howell
697	1235	.516	Bailey Howell
598	1267	.472	Bailey Howell
568	1153	.493	Terry Dischinger
634	1418	.447	Eddie Miles
172	382	.450	Reggie Harding

TOP REBOUNDERS

G	No	Avg	Player
72	954	13.3	Walter Dukes
72	958	13.3	Walter Dukes
66	883	13.4	Walter Dukes
77	1111	14.4	Bailey Howell
79	996	12.6	Bailey Howell
79	910	11.5	Bailey Howell
80	1078	13.5	Ray Scott
78	906	11.6	Reggie Harding
79	916	11.6	Dave DeBusschere
78	924	11.8	Dave DeBusschere

MOST PERSONALS

G	PF	Avg	Player
72	311	4.3	Walter Dukes
72	332	4.6	Walter Dukes
66	310	4.7	Walter Dukes
73	313	4.3	Walter Dukes
77	327	4.2	Walter Dukes
79	301	3.8	Bailey Howell
80	296	3.7	Ray Scott
78	258	3.3	Reggie Harding
79	305	3.9	Joe Strawder
79	344	4.4	Joe Strawder

MOST DISQUALIFICATIONS

G	Disq	Player
73	17	Walter Dukes
72	22	Walter Dukes
66	20	Walter Dukes
73	16	Walter Dukes
77	20	Walter Dukes
79	9*	Bailey Howell
77	9	Bailey Howell
78	9	Jackie Moreland
80	5	Terry Dischinger
79	5	Dave DeBusschere
66	5	Ray Scott
78	5	Reggie Harding
79	15	Joe Strawder
79	19	Joe Strawder

GAMES INVOLVING HIGHEST PISTONS AND LOWEST PISTONS SCORES

PISTONS HIGHEST SCORE: 147 points vs. New York (129), Dec. 13, 1959, at Detroit

FOE'S HIGHEST SCORE VS. PISTONS: 162 by Syracuse vs. Detroit (135), Feb. 8, 1963, at Detroit

BIGGEST COMBINED SCORE IN A PISTONS' GAME: 297 points (Syracuse 162, Detroit 135), Feb. 8, 1963 at Detroit

PISTONS' LOWEST SCORE AT HOME (Since '57): 79 points vs. San Francisco (89), Jan. 15, 1964

PISTONS' LOWEST SCORE ON ROAD (Since '57): 75 points vs. Cincinnati (92) at St. Louis, Nov. 19, 1957

PISTONS' LOWEST SCORE at Fort Wayne: Pistons (19) vs. Minneapolis (18), first game of 1950-51 playoff series

PISTONS ATTENDANCES IN DETROIT

SEASON	GAMES	ATTENDANCE	AVERAGE
1957-58	28	134,411	4,789
1958-59	30	119,351	3,978
1959-60	31	178,007	5,742
1960-61	31	164,230	5,298
1961-62	30	143,081	4,769
1962-63	30	144,150	4,806
1963-64	30	100,386	3,346
1964-65	30	121,239	4,011
1965-66	30	120,013	4,000
1966-67	30	193,782	6,459

TOP CROWDS IN DETROIT

At Cobo Arena: 11,028 — Feb. 12, 1963 — Pistons vs. San Francisco and Boston vs. Los Angeles
At Olympia: 13-121 — Dec. 4, 1959 — Pistons vs. Minneapolis and Philadelphia vs. St. Louis
Playoffs: 6,347 — April 3, 1962 — Los Angeles at Cobo Arena
All-Star Game: 10,541 — Jan. 23, 1959 — At Olympia

Highlight Crowds of 1966-67

Nov. 21 — vs. New York	10,686
Nov. 25 — vs. Boston	10,770
Nov. 26 — vs. Philadelphia	10,430
Dec. 26 — vs. New York	10,758

Away from home in 1966-67, Pistons drew 368-367 in 51 appearances.

PISTONS WHO HAVE PERFORMED IN DETROIT

Gary, Alcorn, 1959-60
Dick Atha, 1957-58
John Barnhill, 1965-66
Dave Bing, 1966-67
Douglas Bolstrof, 1957-58
William Buntin, 1965-66
Donnis Butcher, 1963-64, '64-65, '65-66
Barney Cable, 1958-59
Joe Caldwell, 1964-65, '65-66
Nat Clifton, 1957-58
Eddie Conlon, 1958-59, '59-60
Dave DeBusschere, 1962-63, '63-64, '64-65, '65-66, '66-67
Archie Dees, 1959-60, '60-61
Terry Dischinger, 1964-65
Dan Doyle, 1962-63
Bob Duffy, 1963-64, '64-65
Walter Dukes, 1957-58, '58-59, '59-60, '60-61, '61-62, '62-63
William Ebben, 1957-58
John Egan, 1961-62, '62-63, '63-64
Dick Farley, 1958-59
Bob Ferry, 1960-61, '61-62, '62-63, '63-64
Harry Gallatin, 1957-58
Reggie Harding, 1963-64, '64-65, '66-67
Wayne Hightower, 1966-67
Bob Hogsett, 1966-67
Joe Holup, 1957-58, '58-59
Bailey Howell, 1959-60, '60-61, '61-62, '62-63, '63-64
Bob Houbreks, 1957-58
Darrall Imhoff, 1962-63, '63-64
Ron Johnson, 1960-61
Willie Jones, 1960-61, '61-62, '62-63, '63-64, '64-65,
Phil Jordon, 1957-58, '58-59
Bill Kenville, 1957-58, '58-59
Don Kojis, 1964-65, '65-66
George Lee, 1960-61, '61-62
Earl Lloyd, 1958-59, '59-60
Kevin Loughery, 1962-63, '63-64
Tom Marshall, 1957-58
Dick McGuire, 1957-58, '58-59, '59-60
Shellie McMillon, 1958-59, '59-60, '60-61
Eddie Miles, 1963-64, '64-65, '65-66, '66-67
Jack Moreland, 1960-61, '61-62, '62-63, '63-64 '64-65
Dorrie Murrey, 1966-67
Chuck Noble, 1957-58, '58-59, '59-60, '60-61, '61-62
Don Ohl, 1960-61, '61-62, '62-63, '63-64
Hub Reed, 1964-65
Ron Reed, 1965-66, '66-67
Ray Scott, 1961-62, '62-63, '63-64, '64-65, '65-66, '66-67
Gene Shue, 1957-58, '58-59, '59-60, '60-61, '61-62
Larry Staverman, 1963-64
Joe Strawder, 1965-66, '66-67
Bill Thieben, 1957-58
Rod Thorn, 1964-65, '65-66
John Tresvant, 1965-66, '66-67
Tom Van Arsdale, 1965-66, '66-67
Charles Vaughn, 1965-66, '66-67
Robert Warlick, 1965-66
Tony Windis, 1959-60
George Yardley, 1957-58, '58-59

ALL-TIME REGULAR SEASON RECORDS

YEAR	Baltimore	Boston	Chicago	Cincinnati	Los Angeles Minneapolis	New York	Philadelphia Syracuse	St. Louis	San Francisco Philadelphia	TOTAL
57-58		1-8		6-6	6-6	4-5	5-4	6-6	5-4	33-39
58-59		1-8		9-3	4-8	3-6	2-7	4-8	5-4	28-44
59-60		0-9		8-5	7-6	4-5	4-5	5-8	2-7	30-45
60-61		2-8		11-2	Los Angeles 4-9	5-5	4-6	3-10	5-5	34-45
61-62	Chicago 7-3	3-5		6-6	4-8	5-4	4-5	7-5	1-7	37-43
62-63	7-3	0-8		4-4	1-11	8-1	3-6	4-8	San Francisco 7-5	34-46
63-64	Baltimore 3-7	1-7		2-7	5-7	4-5	Philadelphia 3-5	2-10	3-9	23-57
64-65	4-6	0-10		4-6	3-7	5-5	4-6	3-7	8-2	31-49
65-66	5-5	4-6		2-8	2-8	2-8	3-7	2-8	2-8	22-58
66-67	7-2	3-6	5-4	2-7	5-4	4-5	0-9	2-7	2-7	30-51
TOTAL	33-26	15-75	5-4	54-54	41-74	44-49	32-60	38-77	40-58	302-477
(home)	12-8	7-32	1-2	26-12	12-32	20-16	18-17	22-25	23-16	141-160
(road)	8-12	4-21	3-1	13-33	14-30	12-21	3-26	8-41	11-22	76-197
(neutral)	13-6	4-22	1-1	15-19	15-12	12-12	11-17	8-11	6-20	85-120

THE NBA STORY — TEAM BY TEAM — 1966-67

EASTERN DIVISION

	Phil	Bos	Cin	NY	Balt	SF	St. L.	LA	Chi	Det	W	L	Pct
Philadelphia	—	4	8	8	8	7	8	8	8	9	68	13	.840
Boston	5	—	8	9	8	6	5	5	8	6	60	21	.741
Cincinnati	1	1	—	6	6	5	6	3	4	7	39	42	.481
New York	1	—	3	—	7	5	4	5	6	5	36	45	.444
Baltimore	1	1	3	2	—	2	4	2	3	2	20	61	.247

WESTERN DIVISION

San Francisco	2	3	4	4	7	—	5	6	6	7	44	37	.543
St. Louis	1	4	3	5	5	4	—	5	5	7	39	47	.481
Los Angeles	1	4	6	4	7	3	4	—	3	4	36	45	.444
Chicago	1	—	5	3	6	3	4	6	—	4	33	48	.407
Detroit	—	3	2	4	7	2	2	5	5	—	30	51	.370

INDIVIDUAL SCORING LEADERS

	G	FG	FT	Points	Pt. Avg.
Rick Barry, San Francisco	78	1011	753	2775	35.6
O. Robertson, Cincinnati	79	838	736	2412	30.5
Jerry West, Los Angeles	66	645	602	1892	28.7
W. Chamberlain, Philadelphia	81	785	386	1956	24.1
Elgin Baylor, Los Angeles	70	711	440	1862	26.6
(Pistons in Top 20)					
Dave Bing (10th)	80	664	273	1601	20.0
Eddie Miles (20th)	81	582	261	1425	17.6

FIELD GOAL % LEADERS

	FG	FGA	Pct
Chamberlain, Phil.	785	1150	.683
Bellamy, N.Y.	565	1084	.521
Howell, Boston	636	1242	.512
Robertson, Cin.	838	1699	.493
Reed, N.Y.	635	1298	.489

FREE THROW % LEADERS

	FT	FTA	Pct
Smith, Cin.	343	380	.905
Barry, San Fran.	753	852	.884
West, Los Ang.	602	686	.878
Robertson, Cin.	736	843	.873
S. Jones, Boston	318	371	.857

LEADERS IN REBOUNDS

	Games	No.	Avg
Chamberlain, Phil.	81	1957	24.2
Russell, Boston	81	1700	21.0
Lucas, Cin.	81	1547	19.1
Thurmond, San Fran.	65	1382	21.3
Bridges, St. Louis	79	1190	15.1
DeBusschere, Det. (tenth)	78	924	11.8

LEADERS IN ASSISTS

	Games	No.	Avg
Rodgers, Chicago	81	908	11.2
Robertson, Cin.	79	845	10.7
Chamberlain, Phil.	81	630	7.8
Russell, Boston	81	472	5.8
West, Los Angeles	66	447	6.8

COLLEGE PRELIMINARY GAMES AT COBO ARENA

Wed., Nov. 29 — Detroit Tech vs. St. Clair College, Windsor.
Sat., Dec. 2 — Detroit Tech vs. Guelph University, Guelph, Ont.
Wed., Dec. 6 — Oakland Community (Auburn Hills) vs. Schoolcraft.
Fri., Dec. 8 — Oakland Community (Highland Lakes) vs. Mercy.
Wed., Dec. 13 — Detroit Tech vs. Bible College.
Sat., Dec. 16 — Clinic night.
Fri., Jan. 5 — Detroit College of Business vs. Detroit Tech.
Sat., Jan. 13 — Macomb Community vs.
Wed., Jan. 17 — Detroit College of Business vs. Cleveland State.
Thurs., Jan. 25 — Broadcasters Association annual game.
Sat., Jan. 27 — Detroit College of Business vs. Illinois Teachers College.
Sat., Feb. 10 — Detroit Tech vs. Mohawk College of Hamilton, Ont.
Tues., Feb. 13 — Oakland Community (Highland Lakes) vs. Monroe.

ALL-TIME PISTONS RECORDS
(Fort Wayne Included)

INDIVIDUAL – ONE SEASON

GEORGE YARDLEY

MOST POINTS–2001, George Yardley (league record at time), 1957-58
MOST FIELD GOALS–673, George Yardley, 1957-58
MOST FGA–1625, George Yardley, 1957-58
MOST FREE THROWS–655, George Yardley (league record at time), 1957-58
MOST FTA–808, George Yardley, 1957-58
MOST REBOUNDS–1111, Bailey Howell, 1960-61
MOST ASSISTS–530, Gene Shue, 1960-61
MOST MINUTES–3371, Gene Shue, 1960-61
BEST SCORING AVG.–27.8, George Yardley, 1957-58

INDIVIDUAL – ONE GAME

MOST POINTS–52, George Yardley (Syracuse at Detroit), 2-4-58
MOST FIELD GOALS–21, Dave Bing (Baltimore at Detroit), 3-8-67
MOST FGA–38, Ray Scott (Cincinnati at Detroit), 12-2-64; 38, Dave Bing (Baltimore at Detroit), 3-8-67
MOST FREE THROWS–20, George Yardley (at St. Louis), 12-26-57; 20, Walter Dukes (at Los Angeles) 1-19-61
MOST FTA–24, George Yardley (at St. Louis), 10-26-57; 24, George Yardley (at Cincinnati), 11-3-57; 24, Walter Dukes (at Los Angeles), 1-19-61
MOST ASSISTS–19, Andy Phillips (Minneapolis at Ft. Wayne), 11-27-54; 19, Andy Phillips (Fort Wayne at New York), 11-20-55
MOST REBOUNDS–32, Walter Dukes (New York at Detroit), 12-13-59; 32, Bailey Howell (Philadelphia at Boston), 11-5-60
MOST CONSECUTIVE FIELD GOALS–12, George Yardley (Syracuse at Detroit), 2-4-58
MOST CONSECUTIVE FREE THROWS–16, Gene Shue (at New York), 11-10-61

TEAM – ONE GAME

MOST POINTS, FOR–147, New York at Detroit, 12-13-59
MOST POINTS, AGAINST–162, Syracuse at Detroit, 2-8-63
MOST TOTAL POINTS–297, Syracuse (162) at Detroit (135), 2-8-63
MOST POINTS, FOR ONE HALF–82, New York at Detroit, 12-13-59
MOST POINTS, FOR ONE QUARTER–47, Minneapolis at Detroit, 1-11-58
MOST POINTS, AGAINST, ONE HALF–91, Boston at Providence, 2-10-60; 91, at Syracuse, 1-13-63
MOST POINTS, AGAINST, ONE QUARTER–52, at Baltimore, 12-17-65
MOST FGM's, FOR–62, New York at Detroit, 12-13-59
MOST FGM's, AGAINST–65, St. Louis at St. Louis, 12-6-60
MOST FGA's, FOR–144, Boston at Detroit (2 overtimes), 11-17-59
MOST FGA's, AGAINST–133, Philadelphia at Detroit, 2-20-60
MOST FTM's, FOR–48, Syracuse at Philadelphia, 1-5-62
MOST FTM's, AGAINST–47, at Syracuse, 1-12-58
MOST FTA's, FOR–62, at New York, 11-10-61
MOST FTA's, AGAINST–60, Baltimore at Detroit, 11-4-64
MOST REBOUNDS, FOR–107, at New York, 11-29-60
MOST REBOUNDS, AGAINST–98, at Boston, 10-25-61
MOST ASSISTS, FOR–45, New York at Detroit, 11-28-63
MOST ASSISTS, AGAINST–40, Cincinnati at Dayton, Ohio, 2-17-60; 40, at Los Angeles, 10-28-61; 40, at Los Angeles, 3-25-62; 40, Baltimore at New York, 12-14-65

THE NBA POST-SEASON STORY – 1967

THE PLAYOFFS

CHAMPIONSHIP ROUND:	Philadelphia beat San Francisco, four games to two.
SEMI-FINALS:	East – Philadelphia defeated Boston, four games to one.
	West – San Francisco defeated St. Louis, four games to two.
OPENING ROUND:	East – Boston defeated New York, four games to one. Philadelphia defeated Cincinnati, three games to one.
	West – Los Angeles defeated San Francisco, three games to none. St. Louis defeated Chicago, three games to none.

COBO ARENA — DETROIT RECORD FOR NBA BASKETBALL

(When an asterisk appears below Cobo Arena record, it indicates the all-time record was set either at Olympia Stadium or the University of Detroit.)

INDIVIDUAL — FULL GAME

MOST POINTS—62, Wilt Chamberlain, Philadelphia vs. St. Louis (OT), 1-17-62

MOST FGA—50, Wilt Chamberlain, San Francisco vs. Detroit (OT), 2-11-64

MOST FGM—25, Wilt Chamberlain, San Francisco vs. Detroit (OT), 2-11-64; *25, Bob Pettit, St. Louis vs. Detroit (Olympia), 2-18-61

MOST FTA—23, Jerry West, Los Angeles vs. Detroit (playoff), 4-3-62; *25, Wilt Chamberlain, Philadelphia vs. Detroit (Olympia), 1-23-60

MOST FTM—20, Jerry West, Los Angeles vs. Detroit (playoff), 4-3-62

MOST REBOUNDS—37, Jerry Lucas, Cincinnati vs. Detroit, 1-20-65

MOST ASSISTS—18, Oscar Robertson, Cincinnati vs. New York, 1-30-64; *18, Dick McGuire, Detroit vs. Minneapolis (Olympia), 2-15-58; *18, Oscar Robertson, Cincinnati vs. Philadelphia (Olympia), 2-3-61

MOST PERSONALS—6, By several players

MOST CONSECUTIVE FIELD GOALS—11, Don Ohl, Detroit vs. St. Louis, 2-13-62; 11, Bailey Howell, Detroit vs. Syracuse, 3-3-63; *12, George Yardley, Detroit vs. Syracuse (Olympia), 2-18-58

INDIVIDUAL — ONE HALF

MOST POINTS—33, Wilt Chamberlain, Philadelphia vs. St. Louis (OT), 1-17-62; *36, Elgin Baylor, Minneapolis vs. Cincinnati (Olympia), 2-25-59

MOST FGA—29, Wilt Chamberlain, San Francisco vs. Detroit (2H), 2-11-64

MOST FGM—16, Wilt Chamberlain, Philadelphia vs. Detroit (2H), 12-6-61

MOST FTA—14, Jerry West, Los Angeles vs. Detroit (playoff) (2H), 4-3-62; *17, George Yardley (12-25-57), Wilt Chamberlain (11-23-60 and 12-3-60), Walter Dukes (3-6-59)

MOST FTM—12, Jerry West, Los Angeles vs. Detroit (playoff), 4-3-62; *13, Bob Pettit (1-17-58), Ken Sears (11-7-58) and Walter Dukes (3-6-59)

MOST REBOUNDS—23, Bill Russell, Boston vs. Detroit, 1-2-65

MOST ASSISTS—11, Oscar Robertson, Cincinnati vs. New York, 1-30-64

MOST CONSECUTIVE FIELD GOALS—11, Don Ohl, Detroit vs. St. Louis (2H), 2-18-62; 11, Bailey Howell, Detroit vs. Syracuse (1H), 3-3-63

MOST PERSONALS—6, by three players

INDIVIDUAL — ONE QUARTER

MOST POINTS—20, Don Ohl, Detroit vs. St. Louis (3Q), 2-18-62; *23, George Yardley, Detroit vs. Syracuse (Olympia), 2-18-58

MOST FGA—15, Wilt Chamberlain, San Francisco vs. Detroit, 11-12-64; 15, Sam Jones, Boston vs. Detroit, 2-10-65

MOST FGM—10, Don Ohl, Detroit vs. St. Louis (3Q), 2-18-62

MOST FTA—12, Jerry West, Los Angeles vs. Detroit (3Q playoff), 4-3-62; *15, George Yardley, Detroit vs. Minneapolis (3Q), 12-3-57

MOST FTM—10, Jerry West, Los Angeles vs. Detroit (playoff), 4-3-62; *11, Dick Schnittker, Minneapolis vs. Detroit (Olympia), 11-17-57; *11, Frank Ramsey, Boston vs. Detroit (Olympia), 12-3-57

MOST REBOUNDS—15, Wilt Chamberlain, San Francisco vs. Detroit (4Q), 2-12-63

MOST ASSISTS—9, Donnis Butcher, Detroit vs. New York (3Q), 3-14-64

MOST PERSONALS—5, Four players

MOST CONSECUTIVE FIELD GOALS—10, Don Ohl, Detroit vs. St. Louis (3Q), 2-18-62

ONE TEAM — FULL GAME

MOST POINTS—162, Syracuse vs. Detroit, 2-18-63

MOST FGA—129, Syracuse vs. Detroit, 1-24-62; *144, Boston vs. Detroit (2OT), 12-13-59

MOST FGM—62, Detroit vs. New York, 11-28-62

MOST FTA—60, Baltimore vs. Detroit, 11-4-64

MOST FTM—43, Los Angeles vs. Detroit (playoff), 4-3-62; *50, Minneapolis vs. Cincinnati, 11-27-57

MOST REBOUNDS—92, Detroit vs. Philadelphia, 11-29-64; 92, Detroit vs. Boston, 1-2-65; *105, Detroit vs. St. Louis (Olympia), 1-7-60

MOST ASSISTS—45, Detroit vs. New York, 11-28-62

MOST PERSONALS—40, St. Louis vs. Detroit, 1-1-62; 40, Detroit vs. Los Angeles (playoff), 4-3-62

MOST DISQUALIFICATIONS—4, Los Angeles vs. Detroit (playoff), 4-3-62

NBA CAREER HIGHS OF 1966-67 PISTONS

	FG	FGA	FT	FTA	Reb	Ast	TP
Dave Bing	21	38	10	11	11	8	47
Dave DeBusschere	19	27	13	20	27	10	41
Reggie Harding	14	23	8	13	26	8	29
Wayne Hightower	13	25	10	15	15	9	33
Eddie Miles	17	32	10	14	11	7	37
Dorie Murrey	5	12	7	10	14	2	11
Ron Reed	10	28	10	13	20	6	24
Joe Strawder	10	21	11	14	24	6	29
Tom VanArsdale	11	21	11	14	12	7	29
John Tresvant	10	25	10	12	22	6	26
Charles Vaughn	13	24	9	12	9	11	29
Bob Hogsett	2	6	2	2	1	1	4
Terry Dischinger	15	28	18	18	16	8	37

SUMMER HONORS COME TO BING

Dave Bing, the Pistons' star guard last season who was voted the NBA's No. 1 rookie, was hailed as the most valuable player in the annual Maurice Stokes benefit game played in August at Kutsher's Country Club in Monticello, N. Y. Veterans Dave DeBusschere and Eddie Miles also represented the Pistons in the game.

THE COMPUTER GOES TO WORK

NBA teams fired 83,503 field goal attempts during the 1966-67 season. This broke down to 4.29 shots per minute, 1.70 shots per 24-second clock and 1.07 shots per 15 seconds. San Francisco led in shots taken with 4.54 per minute . . . Individually speaking, Oscar Robertson of Cincinnati led with 0.98 shots per minute or 1.72 shots every 105 seconds.

Veteran guard Eddie Miles of the Pistons wants the record made straight: During the summer he's an internal auditor for a large food chain in Detroit, not a bookkeeper. "A guy doesn't go to college four years to become a bookkeeper," Miles quips.

Trainer Bud Shockro of the Pistons couldn't have been happier over the success story of the Boston Red Sox this past summer. Shockro works for the Red Sox' farm team at Pittsfield, Mass., during the baseball season.

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SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
OCTOBER		17 Cincinnati	18	19	20	21 at Phila.
22	23	24 at N.Y. Phila.	25 Chicago	26	27 Boston	28 at New York

NOVEMBER			1 San Fran.	2	3 at Baltimore	4 Baltimore
5	6	7	8 New York	9 at N.Y. Seattle	10 St. Louis	11
12	13	14 at Phil. St. Louis	15 Phila.	16	17	18 at Chicago
19 at Seattle	20 at Tc'ma Seattle	21 at San Fran.	22	23 at Los Angeles	24 San Diego	25 at Cincinnati
26	27	28 at Boston	29 Los Angeles	30		

DECEMBER					1	2 Boston
3	4	5 at N.Y. San Diego	6 Chicago	7	8 Los Angeles	9 at New York
10	11	12 at Baltimore	13 New York	14	15 at Cleve. Cincinnati	16 Cincinnati
17 at San Diego	18 at Tc'ma Seattle	19	20 at San Fran.	21	22 at Los Angeles	23 at San Diego
24	25	26 St. Louis	27	28	29 at Miami St. Louis	30 at Syra. Phila.

JANUARY						
	1	2 at N.Y. Baltimore	3	4	5 Cincinatti	6 at New York
7	8	9 at San Fran.	10 at San Diego	11	12 at Boston	13 Phila.
14	15	16	17 San Fran.	18	19 Seattle	20 at Cincinnati
21 ○ New York	22	23 at N.Y. All-Star Game	24	25 Phila.	26	27 Los Angeles
28	29	30 at N.Y. Cincinnati	31 at Baltimore			

FEBRUARY				1	2 at Phila.	3
4 ○ Baltimore	5	6 at N.Y. San Diego	7	8 at Chicago	9 at Boston	10 Baltimore
11	12	13 Boston	14 at N.Y. Boston	15	16	17
18 ○ San Fran.	19	20 at N.Y. Chicago	21	22 at Syra. St. Louis	23 at Phila.	24 at Baltimore
25 ○ New York	26	27	28	29		

MARCH					1 St. Louis	2 at New York
3 ○ Chicago	4	5 at Chicago	6 San Diego	7	8 at Cincinnati	9
10 at St. Louis	11	12 Seattle	13	14	15 at San Fran.	16 at Los Angeles
17 at Los Angeles	18 at Seattle	19	20 at Boston			

PISTONS HOME GAMES ■
PISTONS DAY GAMES ○